

Pierce County Emergency Communication Tax Effective April 1, 2012

Effective April 1, 2012, local sales and use tax within all of Pierce County will increase one-tenth of one percent (.001). The tax will be used for emergency communication systems and facilities.

Businesses must collect the appropriate new rate of sales tax for retail sales and services provided within the county. Persons or businesses within Pierce County will be subject to the new rate of use tax on items purchased for their personal or business use if sales tax has not been paid.

The new rates of sales tax are:

Location	Location Code Number	Local Sales Tax Rate	State Sales Tax Rate	Total Sales Tax Rate
Unincorp. Areas	2700	.023	.065	.088
Unincorp. Areas Non-RTA	4100	.014	.065	.079
Unincorp. P.T.B.A.	2727	.029	.065	.094
Unincorp. P.T.B.A. Non-RTA	4127	.020	.065	.085
Unincorp. P.T.B.A. HBZ	2787	.020	.065	.085
Auburn/Pierce	2724	.029	.065	.094
Bonney Lake	2701	.029	.065	.094
Bonney Lake Non-RTA	4101	.020	.065	.085
Buckley	2702	.020	.065	.085
Carbonado	2703	.014	.065	.079
DuPont	2704	.029	.065	.094
Eatonville	2705	.014	.065	.079
Edgewood	2720	.029	.065	.094
Fife	2706	.029	.065	.094
Fircrest	2707	.029	.065	.094
Gig Harbor	2708	.020	.065	.085
Gig Harbor HBZ	2788	.020	.065	.085

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Location	Location Code Number	Local Sales Tax Rate	State Sales Tax Rate	Total Sales Tax Rate
Lakewood	2721	.029	.065	.094
Milton/Pierce	2709	.029	.065	.094
Orting	2710	.029	.065	.094
Pacific/Pierce	2723	.029	.065	.094
Puyallup	2711	.029	.065	.094
Roy	2712	.014	.065	.079
Ruston	2713	.029	.065	.094
South Prairie	2714	.014	.065	.079
Steilacoom	2715	.029	.065	.094
Sumner	2716	.029	.065	.094
Tacoma	2717	.029	.065	.094
University Place	2719	.029	.065	.094
Wilkeson	2718	.014	.065	.079

To determine the proper codes and rates of local sales tax you may access our Tax Rate Lookup Tool located at dor.wa.gov. On the home page, click on the **Find a sales tax rate (GIS)** link.

This notice is being sent to businesses that have reported local sales or use tax to any of the above location codes within the last year.

If you have questions, or if Sales Tax Collection Schedules are needed, please go to our web site at dor.wa.gov or call the Department of Revenue at 1-800-647-7706.

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